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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-RESPONSIVE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

This paper is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Responsive Amendment dated October 20, 2004 and is in Supplement to the Amendment and Response to Office Action mailed by Applicants on March 19, 2004. The claim amendments presented below replace the amendments made in that paper.

Reconsideration of the application in view of the remarks contained herein is respectfully requested.